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Group Art Unit: 1754

Application No. 09/501,621

Examiner: Langel

Filed: February 9, 2000

For: INORGANIC HYDROGEN POLYMER AND HYDROGEN POLYMER  
COMPOUNDS AND APPLICATIONS THEREOF

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April 15, 2002

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents  
and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

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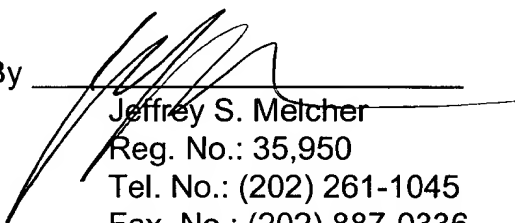
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Rule 97(f), to enable Applicant to comply fully. Consideration of the foregoing and enclosures plus the return of a copy of the herewith PTO/SB/08A form with the Examiner's initials in the left column per MPEP 609 along with an early action on the merits of this application are earnestly solicited.

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